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For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR VERIFYING THE INTEGRITY OF DATA
IN A DATA WAREHOUSE AND APPLYING WAREHOUSED DATA TO
A PLURALITY OF PREDEFINED ANALYSIS MODELS

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With reference to the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement submitted on April 30, 2003, the applicants previously disclosed references cited in a PCT search report for the corresponding international application to the present case along with a copy of the PCT Search Report itself. In that search report, the PCT Examiner had preliminarily characterized the cited references in category "X".

As is indicated by the enclosed International Preliminary Examination Report, after further considering the disclosure in those references and the present claims, the PCT Examiner, Mr. Vincent Millin, has concluded that the cited art, either individually or in combination, does not disclose or suggest the method and system recited in the independent claims of the PCT application. The PCT claims correspond to the pending claims in the present U.S. application.

Applicants respectfully request the Examiner's consideration of the cited reference and entry into the record of this application and that it be cited of record in the prosecution history of the present application by initialing Form PTO-1449 next to the document. Such initialing is requested even if the Examiner does not consider a cited document to be sufficiently pertinent to use in a rejection, or otherwise does not consider it to be prior art for any reason, or even if the Examiner does not believe that the guidelines for citation have been fully complied with. This is requested so that each document becomes listed on the face of the patent issuing on the present application.

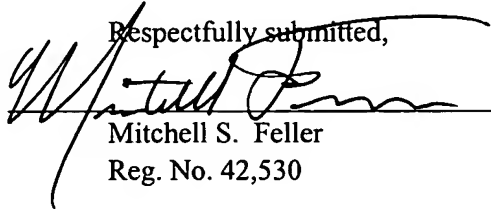
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